

January 28, 2019

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Dear Mr. Kaplan:

This letter is in response to your U.S. General Services Administration (GSA) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request (GSA-2018-000938), submitted on March 19, 2018, in which you requested “[a]ll documents, of any type whatsoever, regarding any department spending at any of the following properties:

1. Trump Winery/Trump Vineyard Estates 3550 Blenheim Rd, Charlottesville, VA 22902
2. Trump International Hotel & Tower; Chicago 401 N Wabash Ave, Chicago, IL 60611
3. Mar-a-Lago Club 1100 S Ocean Blvd, Palm Beach, FL 33480
4. Trump Grande Sunny Isles 18101 Collins Ave, North Miami Beach, FL 33160
5. Trump Towers Sunny Isles 15901 Collins Ave, Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160 and 15811 Collins Ave, Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160
6. Trump International Hotel Las Vegas 2000 Fashion Show Dr, Las Vegas, NV 89109
7. Trump International Hotel Waikiki 223 Saratoga Rd, Honolulu, HI 96815
8. Trump National Golf Course Bedminster 900 Lamington Rd, Bedminster Township, NJ 07921
9. Trump National Jupiter Golf Club 115 Eagle Tree Ter, Jupiter, FL 33477
10. Trump International Hotel Washington, D.C. 1100 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC 20004
11. Trump Parc Stamford 1 Broad St, Stamford, CT 06901
12. 555 California St, San Francisco, CA 94104
13. Trump National Golf Club Los Angeles 1 Trump National Dr, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275
14. Tishman Building 666 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10019
15. Trump National Golf Club Charlotte 120 Trump Sq, Mooresville, NC 28117
16. Trump SoHo (renamed The Dominick) 246 Spring St, New York, NY 10013.”

In reference to item 1: Trump Winery/Trump Vineyard Estates 3550 Blenheim Rd, Charlottesville, VA 22902, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 2: Trump International Hotel & Tower; Chicago 401 N Wabash Ave, Chicago, IL 60611, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 3: Mar-a-Lago Club 1100 S Ocean Blvd, Palm Beach, FL 33480, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 4: Trump Grande Sunny Isles 18101 Collins Ave, North Miami Beach, FL 33160, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 5: Trump Towers Sunny Isles 15901 Collins Ave, Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160 and 15811 Collins Ave, Sunny Isles Beach, FL 33160, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 6: Trump International Hotel Las Vegas 2000 Fashion Show Dr, Las Vegas, NV 89109, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 7: Trump International Hotel Waikiki 223 Saratoga Rd, Honolulu, HI 96815, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 8: Trump National Golf Course Bedminster 900 Lamington Rd, Bedminster Township, NJ 07921, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 9: Trump National Jupiter Golf Club 115 Eagle Tree Ter, Jupiter, FL 33477, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 10: Trump International Hotel Washington, D.C. 1100 Pennsylvania Ave NW, Washington, DC 20004, please find enclosure the responsive records.

In reference to item 11: Trump Parc Stamford 1 Broad St, Stamford, CT 06901, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 12: 555 California St, San Francisco, CA 94104, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 13: Trump National Golf Club Los Angeles 1 Trump National Dr, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 14: Tishman Building 666 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10019, please find enclosed the responsive record.

In reference to item 15: Trump National Golf Club Charlotte 120 Trump Sq, Mooresville, NC 28117, GSA has no records.

In reference to item 16: Trump SoHo (renamed The Dominick) 246 Spring St, New York, NY 10013, GSA has no records.

In processing your request, GSA withheld confidential /or proprietary financial information pursuant to the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(4). The fourth statutory exemption permits an Agency to withhold "matters that are trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained

from a person or organization, that are privileged or confidential, if released, would result in competitive harm to the company."

In addition, information showing building plans and floor plans has been redacted pursuant to the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(5), as this information is related to the deliberative process associated with planning for building security.

Finally, GSA withheld actual signatures, pursuant to the FOIA, 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(6). This was done because public disclosure of this information would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

As we have redacted information referenced in the above paragraphs with the aforementioned FOIA exemptions, this technically constitutes a partial denial of your FOIA request. You have the right to appeal the denial of the information being withheld. You may submit an appeal online at the following link (<https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>) or in writing to the following address:

U.S. General Services Administration
FOIA Requester Service Center (H1F)
1800 F Street, NW, Room 7308
Washington, DC 20405

Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 120 days of the date of the response to your request. In addition, your appeal must contain a brief statement of the reasons why the requested information should be released. Please enclose a copy of your initial request and this denial. Both the appeal letter and envelope or online appeal submission should be prominently marked, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

This completes action on your request. Should you have questions, you may contact me at travis.lewis@gsa.gov or contact our GSA FOIA Public Liaison, Audrey Brooks, at (202) 205-5912 or by email at audrey.brooks@gsa.gov for any additional assistance and to discuss any aspect of your FOIA request.

Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, email at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at (202) 741-5770; toll free at (877) 684-6448; or facsimile at (202) 741-5769.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures